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PURSUANT TO REGULATION D,
SECTION 4(6), AND/OR
UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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Name of Offering ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  Canyon-Johnson Urban Fund III, L.P. (the "Issuer")	
Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505 Rule 506 Supply Supp	Section 4(6) ULOE
A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA	
Enter the information requested about the issuer	
Name of Issuer ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  Canyon-Johnson Urban Fund III, L.P.	08046888
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, ZIP Code)	Telepho
c/o Canyon-Johnson Realty Advisors III LLC, 9665 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 200, Beverly Hills,	310-247-2700
California 90212  Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, ZIP Code)	Telephone Number (Including Area Code)
(if different from Executive Offices) same as above	same as above
Brief Description of Business	
To invest in urban real estate by attempting to identify, enhance and capture unrecognized va	due through the acquisition, development,
redevelopment and repositioning of real estate.	PROCESSED
Type of Business Organization	
corporation Imited partnership, already formed other (please spec	APR 18 2008E
business trust limited partnership, to be formed	APR 10 ZUISZ
Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization:  Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization:  (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State:  CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction)	Actual Estima HOMSON FINANCIAL

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Federal: Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When to File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

State:
This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

## ATTENTION

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

A. BASIC IDENTIFICAT	TION DATA								
2. Enter the information requested for the following:									
• Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years;									
<ul> <li>Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer;</li> </ul>									
• Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and									
Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers.									
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Exec	cutive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner								
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)  Canyon-Johnson Realty Advisors III LLC (the "General Partner")									
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 9665 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 200, Beverly Hills, California 90212									
	cutive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner								
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Turner, K. Robert									
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 9665 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 200, Beverly Hills, California 90212									
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Exec	cutive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner								
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)  Johnson, Earvin "Magic" Jr.									
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 9665 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 200, Beverly Hills, California 90212									
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Exec	cutive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner								
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) California Public Employees' Retirement System									
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 400 Q Street, Suite E4800, Sacramento, California 95814									
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Exec	cutive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner								
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) California State Teachers' Retirement System									
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 7667 Folsom Boulevard, Sacramento, California 95826									
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Exe	cutive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner								
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1.										$\boxtimes$				
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE.													
2.	2. What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?									\$10,000,000*				
	* Minimum capital commitment; subject to the discretion of the General Partner to lower such amount.								YES	NO				
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4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name										son to be				
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	Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.		
	Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price	Amount Already Sold
	Debt	\$0	<b>\$</b> 0
	Equity	\$0	<b>\$</b> 0
	Common Preferred	<u></u>	
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	\$0	\$0
	Partnership Interests	\$2,000,000,000(a)	\$1,015,000,000(b)
	Other (Specify)	\$0	\$0
		\$2,000,000,000(a)	\$ 1,015,000,000(b)
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.		
2.	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."		Aggregate
		Number Investors	Dollar Amount of Purchases
	Accredited Investors	26	\$1,015,000,000(b)
	Non-accredited investors	0	<b>\$</b> 0
	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)	N/A	\$N/A
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE.		
3.	If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C - Question 1.	•	<b>.</b>
	Type of offering	Type of Security	Dollar Amount Sold
	Rule 505	N/A	\$N/A
	Regulation A	N/A	\$N/A
	Rule 504	N/A	\$N/A
	T (d)	N/A	\$N/A
	1 otal	NA	\$IN/A
4.	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.		
	Transfer Agent's Fees	🗵	<b>\$</b> 0
	Printing and Engraving Costs		\$25,000
	Legal Fees		
	Accounting Fees		
	Engineering Fees		
	Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)	_	
	Other Expenses (identify) Filing Fees		

C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

(a) Maximum capital commitments to be accepted by the General Partner.

(b) Represents capital commitments to the Issuer.

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b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offering price given in response to Part C - Question I and total expenses furnished in response to Part C - Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross proceed proceeds to the issuer."

\$1,999,500,000

5. Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer used or proposed to be used for each of the purposes shown. If the amount for any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of the payments listed must equal the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part C – Question 4.b above.

			Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates	Payments to Others
Salaries and fees			60	<b>⋈</b> \$0
Purchase of real estate			0	⊠ so
Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of n	nachinery and equipment		50	⊠ so
Construction or leasing of plant buildings and t	facilities		50	⊠ so
Acquisition of other businesses (including the offering that may be used in exchange for the a issuer pursuant to a merger)		- : 🗵	50	⊠ so
Repayment of indebtedness			\$0	<b>⋈ \$</b> 0
Working capital			\$0	<b>⋈ \$</b> 0
Other (specify): Portfolio Inv	estments	\ <u>\</u>	<b>SO</b>	\$1,999,500,000
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Column Totals			50	፟ \$1,999,500,000
Total Payments Listed (column totals added)			⊠ \$1,99	9,500,000
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The issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the signature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furninformation furnished by the issuer to any non-accredited	ish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commis	ssion, upon w		
ssuer (Print or Type)	Signature		Date	
Canyon-Johnson Urban Fund III, L.P.			April 9	, 2008
Name of Signer (Print or Type)	Title of Signer (Print or Type)			
K. Robert Turner	Managing Partner of the General Partne	er		

## ATTENTION

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001).